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FROM : Chief, FOB

SUBJECT: GENERAL- OPERATIONAL/CALL/CART

SPECIFIC- Alleged CIC and Communist Agents

□ recently gave us the following information which may be of interest:

During the month of February, several conversations took place in Austria between Wilhelm LANDIG, Secretary General of the rightist Austrian Social Movement (OASB) and Dr. Fritz SLAVIK, head of the Nationale Liga (National League). As a result of these conversations, LANDIG told his associates that he accepted SLAVIK's statement that allegations of Communist connections on the part of the National League were false. LANDIG said that this falsehood was originated and spread by two individuals--one Erich VERMAYR and former HITLER Youth Kampfleiter (fight leader) MACEROVSKY. LANDIG said he had learned from SLAVIK that VERMAYR was in constant contact with a CIC Colonel in Salzburg and that he (VERMAYR) undertook to slander the National League on orders of CIC. LANDIG said also that MACEROVSKY, who was expelled from the National League and who now collaborates with Karl HERRMANN of the Deutsche Block, actually was in direct contact with Russian agencies.

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